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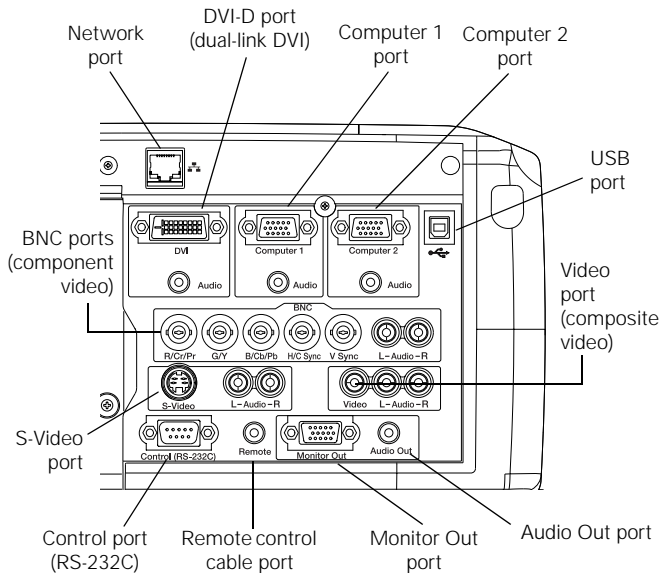
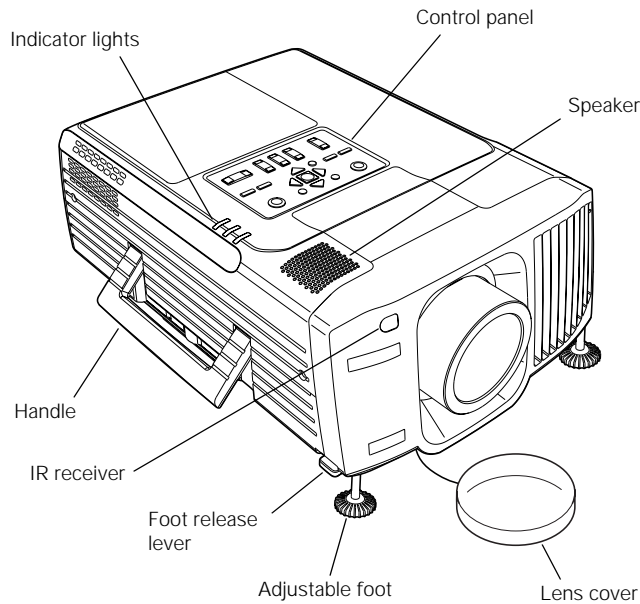
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This package provides a new multimedia projector product section to be added to the *EPSON® Product Information Guide*. The table of contents of this section is listed below.

## EPSON PowerLite® 8300i

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**Note:** Independent audio input connectors are provided for each computer and video port.

## Projector Specifications

### General

Type of display	Poly-silicon Thin Film Transistor (TFT), active matrix
Size of LCD panels	Diagonal: 1.4 inch (35.6 mm)
Lens	F=1.7 to 2.2, f=53 to 72mm
Resolution	1024 × 768 pixels (native format)
Color reproduction	24 bit, 16.8 million colors
Brightness	Approx. 5200 or 3000 ANSI lumens (selectable using the Brightness Control setting in the projector's Advanced2 menu)
Contrast ratio	1200:1 (high brightness) 1500:1 (low brightness)
Image size	22 to 300 inches
Projection distance	Tele: 3.4 to 50.6 feet (1.1 to 15 meters) Wide: 2.5 to 25 feet (0.76 to 7.6 meters)
Projection methods	Front, rear, upside-down front (ceiling mount), and upside-down rear
Internal sound system	7 W monaural
Optical aspect ratio	4:3 (horizontal:vertical); supports 16:9 and 5:4
Zoom ratio	1:1.35
Noise level	About 36 db (high brightness); 33 db (low brightness)
Keystone correction angle	±45° vertical ±40° horizontal
Projection Lamp	
Type	UHE (Ultra High Efficiency)
Power consumption	320 W
Lamp life	About 3000 hours (low brightness); 2000 (high brightness)
Part number	V13H010L23
Remote Control	
Range	about 30 feet (10 meters)
Battery	AA × 2
Mouse compatibility	
Supports USB mouse	

## Dimensions

Height	7.6 inches (193 mm) including feet
Width	13.8 inches (350 mm)
Depth	19.3 inches (490 mm)
Weight	24.7 lb (11.2 kg)

## Electrical

Rated frequency	50 to 60 Hz
Power supply	100 to 120 VAC, 5.4A 200 to 240 VAC, 2.5 A

Power consumption	Operating: 480 W Standby mode: 1.5 W Standby (on network): 60 W
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## Environmental

Temperature	Operating: 41 to 104 °F (5 to 40°C) Storage: 14 to 140 °F (–10 to 60 °C)
Humidity	Operating: 20 to 80% RH, non-condensing Storage: 10 to 90% RH, non-condensing

## Safety

United States	FCC 47CFR Part15B Class B (DoC) UL1950 Rev. 3
Canada	ICES-003 Class B CSA C22.2 No. 950-95 (cUL)
CE Marking	Directive 73/23/EEC, 89/336/EEC EN 55022, EN 55024

## Computer Port Pin Assignments

The Computer1, Computer 2, and Monitor Out ports are female video RGB, 15-pin D-sub connectors.

Pin no.	Signal	Pin no.	Signal
1	Red video	9	Reserved
2	Green video	10	Synchronous GND
3	Blue video	11	GND
4	GND	12	SDA
5	GND	13	Horizontal sync/ composite sync
6	Red GND	14	Vertical sync
7	Green GND	15	SCL
8	Blue GND		

## Compatible Video Formats

You can use any of the following video sources: VCR, DVD player, camcorder, digital camera, gaming console, or laser disc player. The projector supports composite video, S-video, component video, and RGB video, and it automatically senses the video format (HDTV, NTSC, PAL, or SECAM).

The projector supports these international video standards:

Mode	Refresh Rate (Hz)
NTSC	60
NTSC 4:3	60
PAL	50
M-PAL	60
N-PAL	50
PAL—60	60
SECAM	50
HDTV (750p)	60
HDTV (750p)	50
HDTV (1125i)	60
HDTV (1125i)	50
SDTV (525P)	60
SDTV (625p)	50
TV (525i)	60
TV (625i)	50

## Compatible Computer Display Formats

You can connect the projector to a wide range of computers, including PCs and laptops, Apple Macintosh®, Power Macintosh® series (including G3 and G4 systems), PowerBook® computers, many iMac® and iBook® series systems, and high-end workstations such as the Sun® SPARCstation.™

Although images are displayed at the projector's native resolution of 1024 × 768 pixels, EPSON's patented SizeWise™ chip supports computer display formats ranging from VGA through UXGA.

To project images output from a computer, the computer's external monitor signal must be set at a refresh rate (vertical frequency) that's compatible with the projector; see the following table for compatible formats. For best results, the computer's resolution should be set to match the projector's native resolution (1024 × 768).

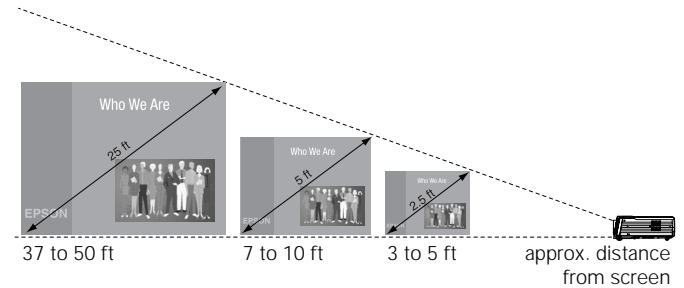
Mode	Refresh Rate (Hz)	Resolution
VGAEGA	70	640 × 350
VGA—60	60	640 × 480
VESA—72	72	640 × 480
VESA—75	75	640 × 480
VESA—85	85	640 × 480
VGA—120	120	640 × 480

Mode	Refresh Rate (Hz)	Resolution
SVGA—56	56	800 × 600
SVGA—60	60	800 × 600
SVGA—72	72	800 × 600
SVGA—75	75	800 × 600
SVGA—85	85	800 × 600
SVGA—120	120	800 × 600
XGA—43i	43	1024 × 768
XGA—60	60	1024 × 768
XGA—70	70	1024 × 768
XGA—75	75	1024 × 768
XGA—85	85	1024 × 768
XGA—120	120	1024 × 768
SXGA1—70	70	1152 × 864
SXGA1—75	75	1152 × 864
SXGA1—85	85	1152 × 864
SXGA1—100	100	1152 × 864
SXGA2—60	60	1280 × 960
SXGA2—75	75	1280 × 960
SXGA2—85	85	1280 × 960
SXGA3—43i	43	1280 × 1024
SXGA3—60	60	1280 × 1024
SXGA3—75	75	1280 × 1024
SXGA3—85	85	1280 × 1024
SXGA+60	60	1400 × 1050
SXGA+75	75	1400 × 1050
SXGA+85	85	1400 × 1050
UXGA—48i	96	1600 × 1200
UXGA—60	60	1600 × 1200
UXGA—65	65	1600 × 1200
UXGA—70	70	1600 × 1200
UXGA—75	75	1600 × 1200
UXGA—80	80	1600 × 1200
UXGA—85	85	1600 × 1200
iMAC VGA	117	640 × 480
iMAC SVGA	95	800 × 600
iMAC XGA	75	1024 × 768
MAC13	67	640 × 480
MAC16	75	832 × 624
MAC19—60	59	1024 × 768
MAC19	75	1024 × 768
MAC21	75	1152 × 870

## Positioning the Projector

- ❑ Place the projector on a sturdy, level surface.
- ❑ Make sure there is plenty of space for ventilation around and under the projector. Do not set the projector on top of loose papers that could block the vents under the projector.
- ❑ Make sure the projector is within 10 feet of a grounded electrical outlet or extension cord.

Image size increases with distance, but varies depending on how you've adjusted the optical zoom and other settings.



To find the projection distance (D) in inches when you know the diagonal screen size (S) in inches:

❑ Wide zoom setting:  $D = (S \times 1.49) - 3.8$

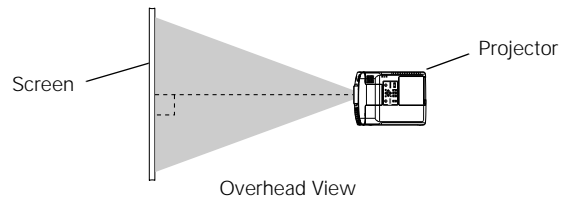
❑ Tele zoom setting:  $D = (S \times 2.04) - 3.8$

To find the screen's diagonal size (S) in inches when you know the projection distance (D) in inches:

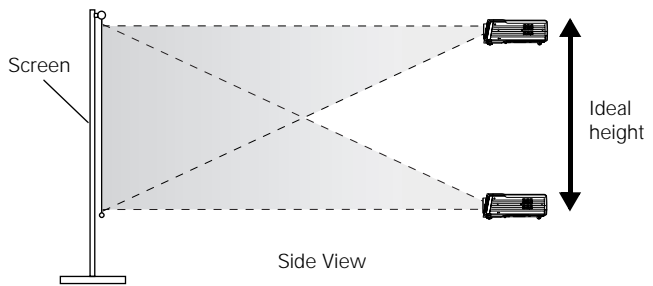
❑ Wide zoom setting:  $S = (D \times 0.67) + 2.6$

❑ Tele zoom setting:  $S = (D \times 0.49) + 1.8$

It's best to place the projector directly in front of the center of the screen, facing the screen squarely. If it isn't placed this way, the image will be "keystone" shaped, instead of square or rectangular. If this happens, you can use the projector's Quick Corner™ function to correct the image shape (see page 9).



If you place the projector between the top and bottom of the screen, you can use the Lens Shift to raise or lower the image (see page 8).



If you place the projector below screen level, you'll have to tilt it up by extending its feet. This causes the image to lose its square shape, but you can correct the distortion by pressing the Keystone button as described on page 9.

Connecting the Projector

You can connect the projector to four computer sources or five video sources—up to a total of six sources altogether. You can include an independent sound channel for each of the six sources.

Type of connections

The following types of connections are possible, depending on the kinds of signals your equipment generates and its available output ports:

Computer equipment

Output signal	Required cable
Analog RGB video	VGA cable
	BNC cable
	VGA-to-BNC cable
DVI	DVI-D dual-link cable (DVI-to-DVI or DFP-to-DVI available from EPSON)

Video equipment

Output signal	Required cable
Composite video	RCA video cable
S-video	S-video cable
Component video—NTSC (YCbCr)	BNC cable
Component video—HDTV (YPbPr)	BNC cable
RGB video	VGA cable
	BNC cable

Note that the projector's Computer 1, Computer 2, and BNC ports accept a variety of input signals. If you're connecting to one of these ports, you'll need to make sure that the correct input signal setting is selected, or your image won't display properly.

To change the input signal setting, do the following:

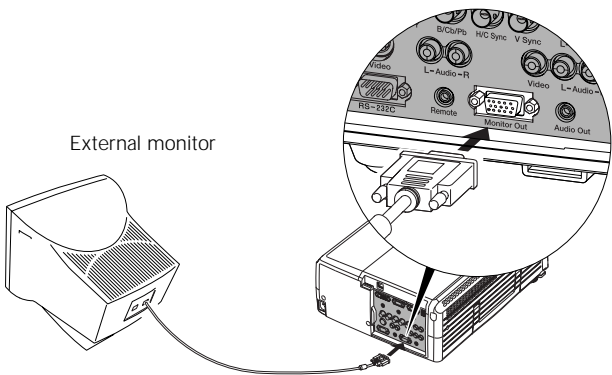
- 1. After turning on the projector, press the Menu button. The menu screen appears.
- 2. Select the Setting menu.
- 3. Change the Computer 1 Input, Computer 2 Input, or BNC Input setting, as needed, to match the signal generated by your computer or video equipment.

Viewing Images on an External Monitor

You can use an external monitor to display images from any connected computer or video source. This lets you view your presentation close-up, as well as on the projection screen.

*Note: Some LCD monitors may not be able to display the image correctly. If you have trouble displaying the image, connect a multiscan monitor. If you're projecting computer images, make sure the computer's refresh rate is set to 65 Hz or greater.*

To use an external monitor, connect it to the projector's Monitor Out port, as shown:



Follow these guidelines when using an external monitor:

- ❑ The monitor displays the currently selected video source. Press the Preview button if you want to display all the active sources at once (see page 6).
- ❑ If you want, you can view (or preview) images on the monitor while the projection screen is darkened after pressing the A/V Mute button. To be able to do this, enter the projector's Setting menu, then set the A/V Mute option




to Black (if it's set to Blue or Logo, you won't be able to view images from a connected source after pressing A/V Mute).

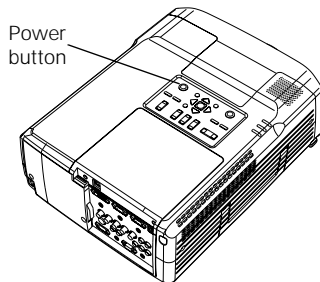
- ❑ You can also view images on the monitor while the projector is in standby mode (plugged in but not turned on), if the Standby Mode setting has been set to Network ON in the Advanced1 menu.

## Displaying an Image


If you turn on your computer or video equipment before turning on the projector, the projector will automatically select the connected source. If you have multiple sources connected, you may have to switch to the desired source manually (see "Selecting the Image Source" at right).

### Turning On the Projector

1. Remove the lens cap.
- Caution:** Do not use the projector with the lens cap in place. The heat generated by the lens can damage the cap.
2. Plug in the projector.
  3. Wait a few seconds until the  power light to turns orange.
  4. Press the red  Power button on top of the projector. You can also use the  Power button on the remote control.



If you're using the remote control, make sure batteries are installed and the power switch on the side of the remote control is turned on.

The  power light flashes green as the projector warms up, and an image begins to appear after about 30 seconds. When the power light stops flashing and remains green (in about a minute), the projector is ready for use.

**Warning:** Never look into the lens when the lamp is on. This can damage your eyes.



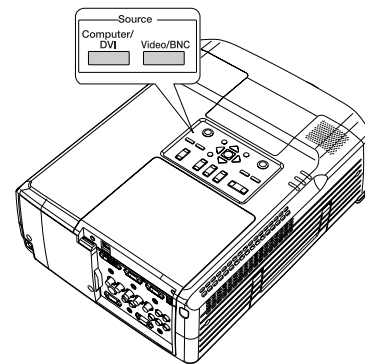
### Selecting the Image Source

You can use the source buttons either on the projector or the remote control:

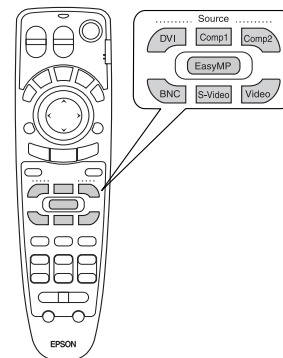
- ❑ The projector has two Source buttons.
 

Use the Computer/DVI button to switch between equipment connected to the Computer 1, Computer 2, and DVI ports (or to switch to EasyMP.net, if that option has been installed; see page 19).

Use the Video/BNC button to switch between equipment connected to the Video, S-Video, and BNC ports.



- ❑ The remote control has seven Source buttons. Use them to switch between equipment connected to the port identified on each button.

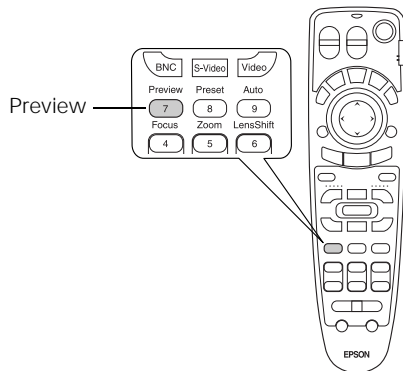


**Note:** You can preview all sources to help you select the desired source (see page 6).

## Previewing Image Sources

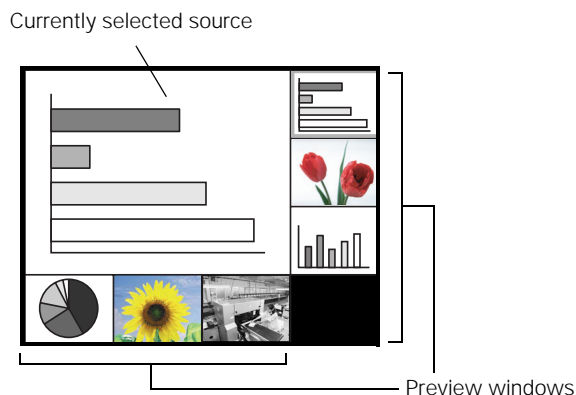
You can use the Preview function to help you select the image source.

1. Press Preview on the remote control.




You see the currently selected source displayed in the main window, as shown below. All other sources (including the currently selected source) are displayed in smaller preview windows on the right side and at the bottom. If no equipment is connected to a port, or if there is no incoming signal, the preview window for that source appears blank.

**Note:** Movies are displayed as still images on the preview screen.



2. Press one of the Source buttons on the remote control to switch to the desired source. Or press ESC to exit the preview screen without switching sources.


**Note:** A red highlight surrounds the preview window for the currently selected source. You can use the  pointer button on the remote control to highlight a different source, and then press Enter to display it.

## Troubleshooting Display Problems

Follow these guidelines if you're having trouble displaying an image.

### You Can't Project an Image


If you see a blank screen or a blue screen with the No Signal message, try the following:

- ☐ Make sure the cables are connected correctly.
- ☐ Make sure the power light is green and not flashing and the lens cover is off.
- ☐ If you've connected more than one computer and/or video source, you may need to press one of the Source buttons on the projector's control panel or the remote control to select the correct source. (Allow a few seconds for the projector to sync up after pressing the button.)
- ☐ If you're using a PC laptop, press the function key on your keyboard that lets you display on an external monitor. It may be labeled CRT/LCD or have an icon such as . You may have to hold down the Fn key while pressing it. Allow a few seconds for the projector to sync up after changing the setting.

### The Projector and Laptop Don't Display the Same Image

If you're projecting from a laptop, and you don't see the same image on the projection screen and on your computer screen, follow these guidelines.

If you're using a PC laptop:

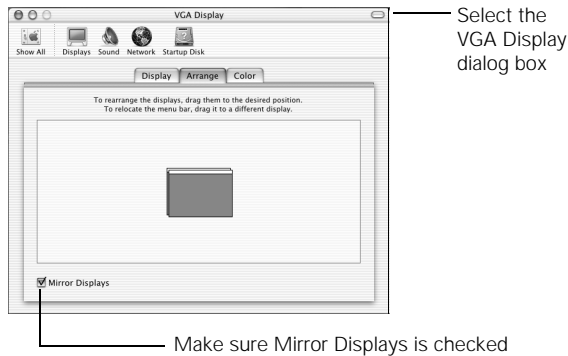
- ☐ On most systems, there's a function key that lets you toggle between the LCD screen and the projector, or display on both at the same time. It may be labeled CRT/LCD or with an icon such as . You may have to hold down the Fn key while pressing it. Allow a few seconds for the projector to sync up after changing the setting.
- ☐ If the function key doesn't permit you to display simultaneously on both screens, you should check your monitor settings to make sure both the LCD screen and the external monitor port are enabled.

From the Control Panel, open the Display utility. In the Display Properties dialog box, click the Settings tab, then click Advanced. The method for adjusting the settings varies by brand; you may need to click a Monitor tab, then make sure the external Monitor port is set as your primary display and/or enabled. See your computer's documentation or online help for details.

If you're using Macintosh OS X:

You may need to set up your system to display on the projector screen as well as the LCD screen. Follow these steps:

1. From the Apple menu, select System Preferences, then select Displays.
2. Make sure the VGA Display or Color LCD dialog box is selected.
3. Click the Arrange (or Arrangement) tab.

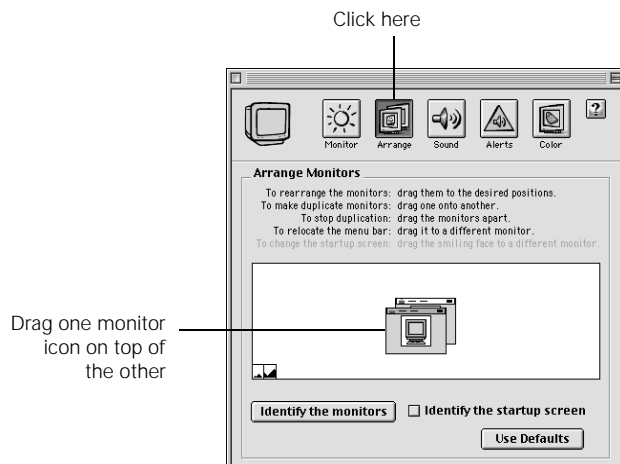


4. Make sure the Mirror Displays checkbox is selected.

If you're using OS 8.6 to 9.x:

You may need to set up your system to display on the projector screen as well as the LCD screen. Follow these steps:

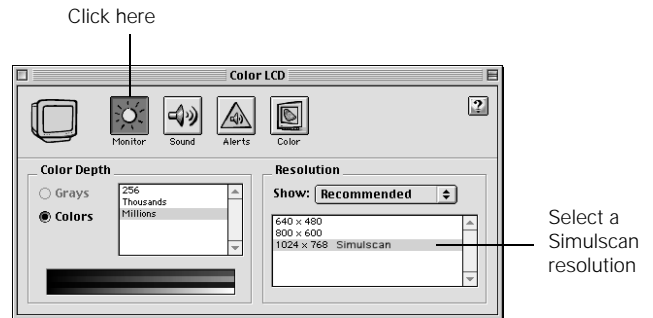
1. From the Apple menu, select Control Panels, then click Monitors or Monitors and Sound.
2. Click the Arrange icon.



3. Drag one monitor icon on top of the other.

If the Arrange option isn't available, you may need to select one of the Simulscan resolution settings:

1. Click the Monitor icon.



2. Select a Simulscan resolution as shown. (Allow a few seconds for the projector to sync up after making the selection.)



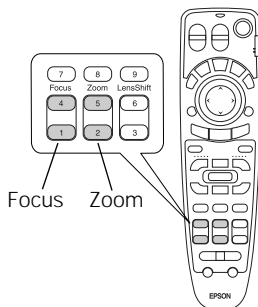
## Adjusting the Image

Once you see your image, you may need to make certain adjustments.

### Focusing and Zooming Your Image

Use the Focus buttons on the remote control (or on the projector) to sharpen the image.

Use the Zoom buttons to reduce or enlarge the image.



If the image still isn't large enough, you may need to move the projector farther away from the screen. You can also use the E-Zoom buttons on the remote control to zoom in on a portion of the image.

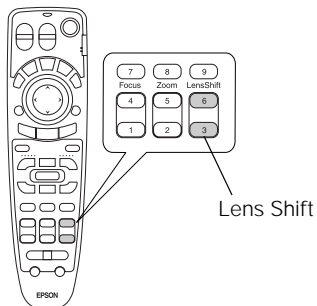
**Note:** The Focus and Zoom buttons won't work when the wide-angle rear projection lens is installed.

### Adjusting the Height of Your Image

If the image is too low on the screen, you can raise it using the Lens Shift. This is the best method for adjusting the height of the image. If you need to raise the image further, you can tilt the projector upward by extending the feet.

#### Using the Lens Shift

To raise or lower the image, use the Lens Shift buttons on the remote control (or on the projector).

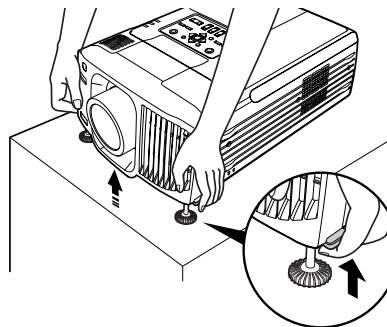


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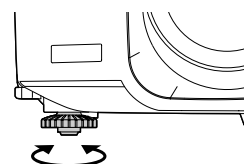
### Raising the Projector's Feet

If you need to raise the image further, you can incline the projector:

1. Stand behind the projector. Press the foot release buttons on each side and lift the front of the projector.



2. Once the image is positioned where you want it, release the buttons to lock the feet in position.
3. If necessary, you can level the picture or fine-tune the height by turning the projector feet.



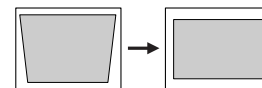
Raising the projector causes the image to distort or "keystone," but you can manually correct the shape as described in the next section.

### Adjusting the Image Shape

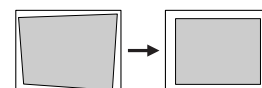
In most cases, you can maintain a square or rectangular image by placing the projector directly in front of the center of the screen and using the Lens Shift (instead of tilting the projector upward) to adjust the image height.

If this isn't possible, use one of these methods to correct the image shape:

- ☐ If the image tapers inward on the right and left sides only, use Keystone correction as described on the next page.



- ☐ If the image looks uneven on all sides, or just on the top and bottom, you can adjust its shape using Quick Corner.

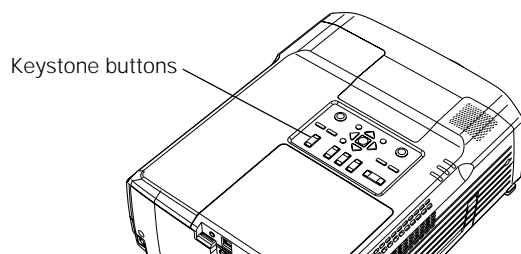


You cannot use both Keystone correction and Quick Corner at the same time.

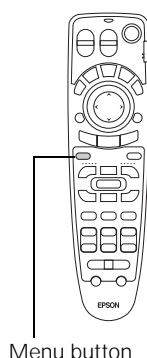
### Using Keystone Correction

To adjust your image when the right and left sides are uneven, do one of the following:

- ❑ Use the Keystone buttons on the projector's control panel to adjust the image shape.



- ❑ Or use the Keystone function in the projector's menu system. (Press the Menu button on the remote control, select the Setting menu, and press Enter. From the Setting menu, select Keystone and press Enter. Then select V-Keystone and press Enter. Adjust the setting as needed.)



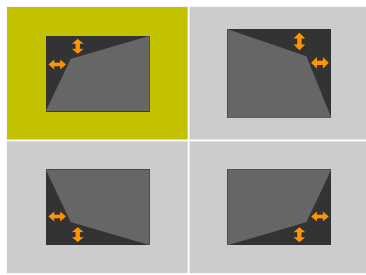
**Note:** After using Keystone correction, the image will be slightly shorter. If it's important to maintain the correct aspect ratio, you can stretch the image to its proper size using the Height setting in the Keystone menu.


### Using Quick Corner

Use Quick Corner to correct the image shape when it's uneven on the top and bottom, or on all sides.


1. Press the Menu button on the remote control (or on the projector's control panel).
2. Select the Setting menu and press Enter.
3. From the Setting menu, select Keystone and press Enter.
4. Select Quick Corner and press Enter.

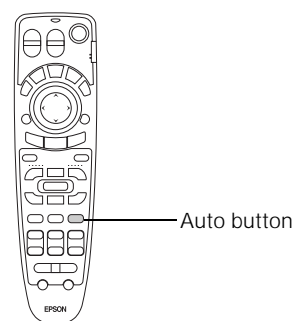
You see this screen:



5. Press the Enter button to select the corner you want to adjust.
6. Use the  pointer button on the remote control (or the arrow buttons on the projector) to adjust the shape.
7. Repeat steps 5 and 6 as needed to adjust any remaining corners.
8. When done, press ESC to exit the menu system.

### Correcting Computer Images

If you've connected a computer and the image doesn't look right or fit properly on the screen, press the Auto button on the remote control (or the  Auto/Enter button on the projector's control panel). This automatically resets the projector's tracking, sync, resolution, and position settings.



**Note:** You must be projecting an image for this button to have any effect. The Auto button works only with computer images.


Shutting Down the Projector

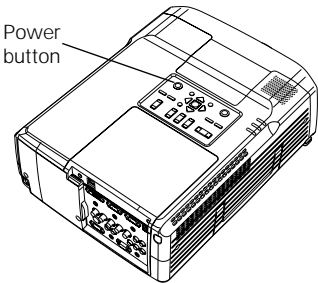
When you've finished using the projector, follow the recommended procedure to shut it down. This extends the life of the lamp and protects the projector from possible overheating.


**Note:** When the projector has not received any input signals for 30 minutes, it automatically turns off the projector lamp and enters sleep mode. This conserves electricity, cools the projector, and extends the life of the lamp. If you are done using the projector, unplug the power cord. If you want to start projecting again, press the Power button.


You can turn off sleep mode using the Sleep Mode option in the Setting menu. If Standby Mode has been set to Network ON (in the Advanced1 menu), the lamp will turn off but the projector will not go into full standby mode.

Follow these steps to turn off the projector:

- 1. If you're using a computer or laptop, shut it down first. Otherwise you may not be able to see your computer's display to shut it down properly.
- 2. To turn off the projector, press the red  Power button on the projector or remote control. You see a confirmation message. (If you don't want to turn it off, press any other button.)



- 3. Press the  Power button again. The power light flashes orange for about a minute as the projector cools down. When the projector has finished cooling, the orange light stays on and the exhaust fan shuts off.

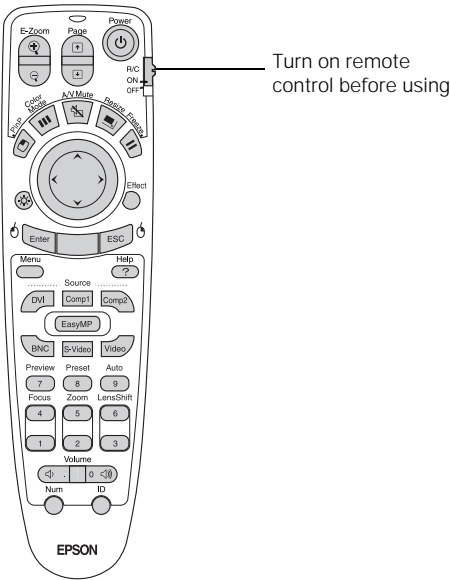
If you want to turn the projector on again, wait until the orange light stops flashing. Then press the  Power button.

- 4. Turn off and disconnect any equipment plugged into the projector.
- 5. Replace the lens cap, retract the feet, and unplug the power cord.



**Caution:** To avoid damaging the projector or lamp, never unplug the power cord when the power light is green or flashing orange.

Using the Remote Control

The remote control lets you access your projector's features from anywhere in the room (up to 30 feet away).



This table summarizes the functions on the remote control.

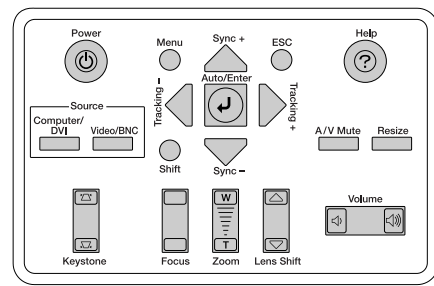
Button	Function
E-Zoom	Zooms in on a portion of your image.
Page	Advances to the next or previous image in a slideshow.
Power	Turns the projector on or off.
PinP	Displays a picture-in-picture image.
Color Mode	Adjusts the vividness of the image color. You can select from several settings, and save a different setting for each computer or video source.
A/V Mute	Turns off audio and video, displaying the black, blue, or user logo background. Press again to turn audio and video back on.
Resize	Adjusts how an image fits into the display area.
Freeze	Halts action. Press again to resume action.
	Illuminates the buttons on the remote control.
	Use to navigate menus or to use the remote as a mouse pointer when the projector is connected to a computer with the mouse cable.
Effect	Lets you select a drawing or pointer tool.
Enter	Selects a highlighted menu option, or functions as the left mouse button when the remote control is used in place of your computer's mouse.
Esc	Pressing Esc while viewing a menu displays the previous menu. Functions as the right mouse button when the remote control is used in place of your computer's mouse.
Menu	Displays the on-screen menu system.

Button	Function
Help	Displays the on-screen help system.
Source	Press one of the Source buttons to switch to the equipment connected to the corresponding port (DVI, Comp1, Comp2, EasyMP, BNC, S-Video, or Video)
Preview	Lets you preview connected sources (see page 6).
Preset	Lets you select a preset selection of options for displaying computer images.
Auto	Optimizes a computer image.
Focus	Sharpens the image.
Zoom	Reduces or enlarges the image.
Lens Shift	Raises or lowers the image.
Volume	Increases or decreases the sound.
Num	Press this key until it lights to use the numeric keypad.
ID	Used for setting remote control ID (see page 12).

*Note: If the projector does not respond to the remote control, make sure batteries are installed and the switch on its side is turned on.*

*The projector also might not respond if the batteries are weak; you're standing at too great a distance from the projector; ambient light is too bright; a certain type of fluorescent light is present; a strong light source (such as direct sunlight) shines into the infrared receiver; or other equipment emitting infrared energy is present (such as a radiant room heater).*

## Using the Control Panel



This table summarizes the functions of the buttons on top of the projector.

Button	Function
Power	Turns the projector on or off.
Help	Displays the online help menu.
Source	Switches between Computer, Video, S-Video, and EasyMP (for wireless network and memory card presentations).
Menu	Displays the on-screen menu system.
ESC	Pressing ESC while viewing a menu displays the previous menu.
Auto/Enter	Use as Enter button to select an option when the menu or help system is active. When computer images are displayed, press to auto-adjust the image.
Tracking	Lets you manually eliminate vertical banding that may be present in some computer images. Use the Tracking buttons as arrow keys to navigate the on-screen menu and help systems.
Sync	Lets you manually correct blurriness that may be present in some computer images. Use the Sync buttons as arrow keys to navigate the on-screen menu and help systems.
Shift	Press and hold to use the Tracking and Sync buttons.
A/V Mute	Turns off audio and video, displaying the black, blue, or user logo background. Press again to turn audio and video back on.
Resize	Adjusts how an image fits into the display area.
Keystone	Squares an image that's 'keystoned' or tapered on the sides after tilting up the projector.
Focus	Sharpens the image.
Zoom	Reduces or enlarges the image.
Lens Shift	Raises or lowers the image.
Volume	Increases or decreases the sound.

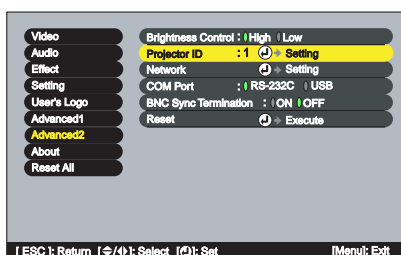
## Controlling Multiple Projectors

If you're using more than one projector, you can control all the projectors—or just selected ones—by using the projector ID system. To operate a projector, you have to set the remote control's ID to match that of the projector. Or you can control all of the projectors simultaneously by setting the remote control's ID to zero.

### Setting the Projector ID

The projector's default ID is 1. If you need to change it, follow these steps:

1. Access the projector's Advanced2 menu and highlight Projector ID.

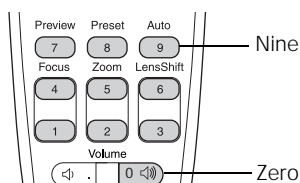
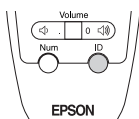


2. Press the right or left side of the pointer button on the remote control to increase or decrease the ID value.
3. Press Enter to set the value.
4. When done, press ESC to exit the menu system.

### Setting the Remote Control ID

The remote control's default ID is zero. If you need to change it, follow these steps:

1. Press the ID button on the remote control. You see it light up.
2. Press one of the numbered buttons on the remote control to select the desired ID (0 through 9). Select zero to control all projectors, or select a number to match the ID of the projector(s) you want to operate.



The ID button's light shuts off and the new ID is registered.

If you would like to check the remote control's current ID, press the ID button twice in succession. Count the number of flashes; this number corresponds to the remote control's ID.

## Managing Projectors from a Remote Computer

The EasyManagement software lets you monitor and control projectors from a remote computer. These features are intended for use by network administrators.

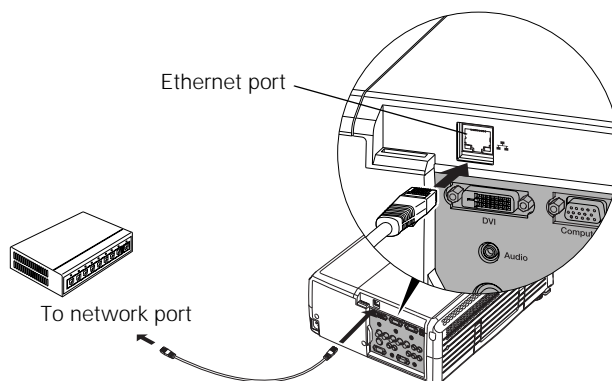
- ❑ Use EMP Monitor to see your projectors' status, switch image sources, and control basic settings.
- ❑ Use EMP NetworkManager to receive e-mail notifications alerting you to possible problems.

Make sure you install the software (included on the projector's CD-ROM) on the computer you want to use to monitor your projectors.

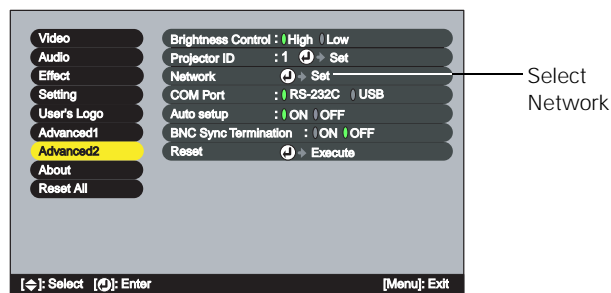
### Setting Up the Network

Connect each projector you want to monitor to your network and configure it with an appropriate IP address.

1. Connect the projector to your network using a commercially available 100baseTX or 10baseT network cable.



2. Turn on the projector.
3. Press the Menu button on the remote control and select Network from the Advanced2 menu.



4. If your network assigns addresses automatically, turn on DHCP.

- If your network does not assign addresses automatically, turn off DHCP and enter the projector's IP Address, Subnet Mask, and Gateway Address, as needed.

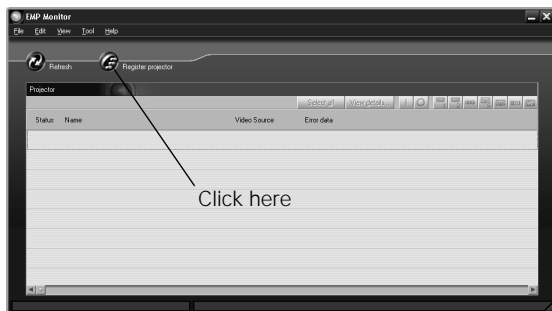
**Note:** To enter numbers using the remote control, press the Num button until it lights, then use the number keypad.

- After changing an address in the network menu, press the Enter button. This stores the value.
- When done making all necessary changes, press ESC to exit the menu system.

### Registering Projectors in EMP Monitor

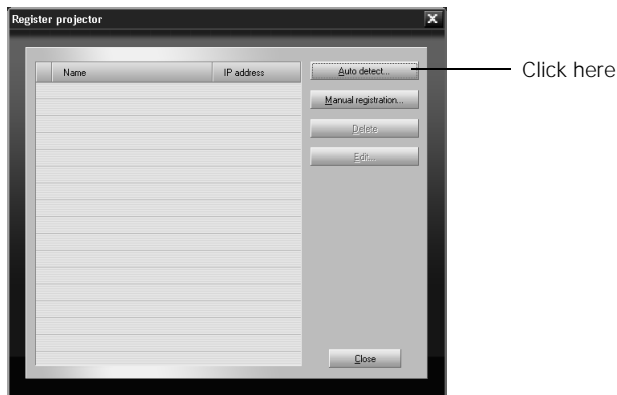
Before you can monitor a projector, you have to register it. Follow these steps:

- Open EMP Monitor by selecting EMP Monitor from the Start menu. You see this screen:



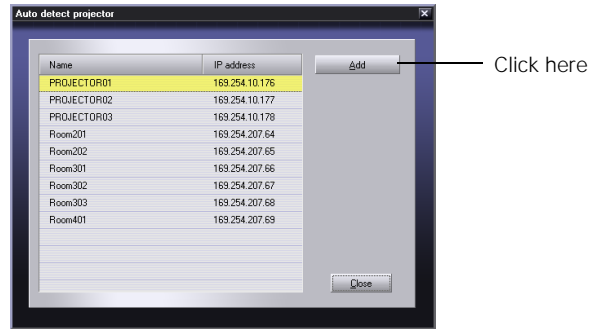
- Click Register projector as shown.

You see this screen:



- Click Auto detect to locate projectors currently operating on the network. Or click Manual registration and enter the projector's name and network address.

Any projectors found on the network are listed as shown below:

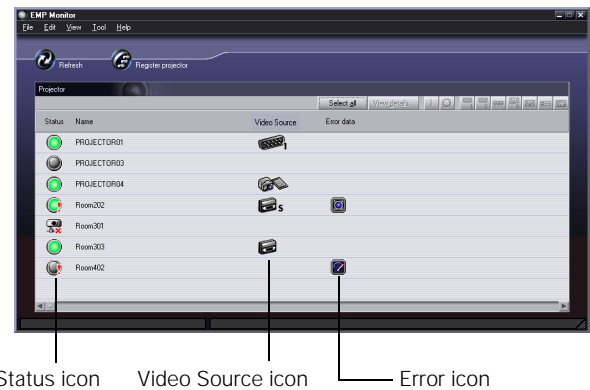


- Select the projectors you want to add by clicking their name. Then click Add, and on the next screen click Close.

You see your registered projectors listed on the main EMP Monitor screen.

### Monitoring Your Projectors

The EMP Monitor screen lets you monitor your projectors using the Status, Video Source, and Error icons shown below. This lets you see which projectors are currently being used, from which source (or port) they are projecting an image, and if a problem occurs.

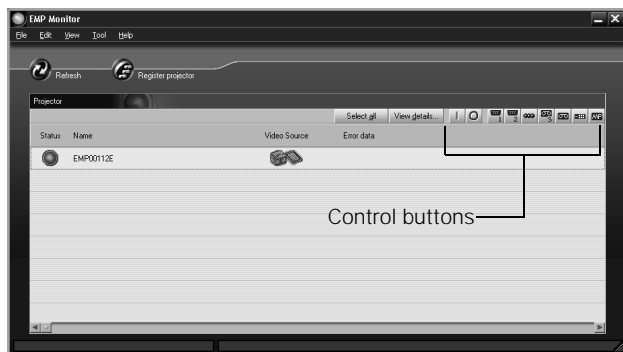


For detailed status information, select the projector in question and click View details.

**Note:** To monitor a projector when it's in standby mode (plugged in but not projecting), you must have selected Network ON as the Standby Mode setting in the projector's Advanced1 menu.

### Controlling Your Projectors

The control buttons in the upper-right of the EMP Monitor screen let you turn on and off the projectors and select video sources. (Hold the mouse pointer over a button to see a description of its meaning.) Make sure you've selected the projector(s) you want to operate (with the mouse pointer) before clicking one of the buttons.



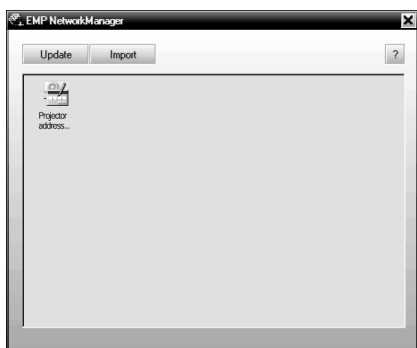
**Note:** To turn on a projector when it's in standby mode (plugged in but not projecting), you must have selected Network ON as the Standby Mode setting in the projector's Advanced1 menu.

### Registering Projectors in EMP NetworkManager

EMP NetworkManager lets you receive e-mail notifications alerting you to possible projector problems.

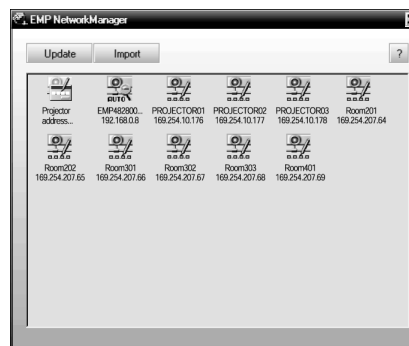
1. To open the program, select EMP NetworkManager from the Start menu.

**Note:** If the program finds one or more projector by auto-detecting them on the network, or if they were previously registered in EMP Monitor, you will see them on this screen.

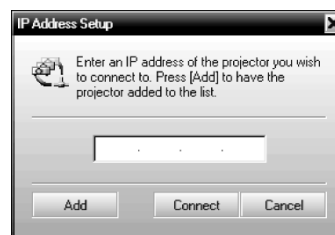


2. If you'd like to monitor additional projectors you've already registered using EMP Monitor, click Import. Select the registration file and click Open.

Your imported projectors are displayed as icons as shown:



3. If you'd like to register a projector manually and you know its IP address, click the Projector address selection icon. You see this screen:

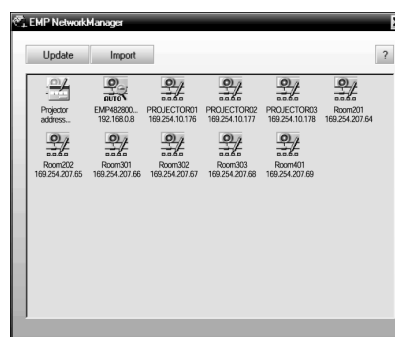


4. Enter the projector's IP address and click Add. The projector's icon is added to the EMP NetworkManager screen.

### Creating the E-Mail Settings

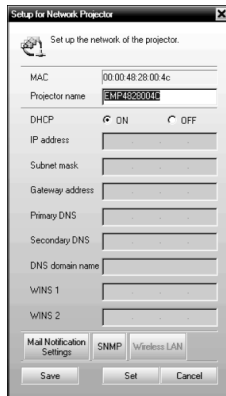
1. If EMP NetworkManager is not already running, open it from the Start menu.

You see your registered projectors displayed as shown:



2. Double-click the icon for the projector whose e-mail settings you want to create.

3. EMP NetworkManager connects to the projector, and you see this screen:



4. Verify that the network settings are correct.
  - ☐ Make any desired changes to the projector's network address configuration (turning off DHCP enables the manual settings).
  - ☐ You can give the projector a name—up to 15 characters long, including the hyphen (-) symbol.

Naming the projector helps you identify it in EMP Monitor and EMP NetworkManager. This is especially useful if you're managing more than a few projectors.

5. Click Mail Notification Settings. You see this screen:



6. Select ON for the Mail Notification setting.
7. Enter the IP address and port number of the SMTP server used for sending e-mail. (The port's default setting is 25, but you can enter any number from 1 to 65535.)
8. Enter up to three e-mail addresses where you want the event notification messages to be sent.
9. Click the Setting a Notification Event button next to each address, then select the conditions under which you want a message to be sent.
10. Click OK, then on the next screen click Set. Confirm as needed.

11. When you see the test message window, you can send a message with the heading "TEST MAIL" to the addresses you have entered. The projector's name and IP address are included in the body of the message.
12. When done making all your projector settings, close the EMP NetworkManager. (It does not have to be open for messages to be sent or received.)

### Understanding the E-mail Messages

If a projector experiences a problem, it sends an e-mail message to each of the addresses you provided using EMP NetworkManager. The message includes the heading "EPSON Projector" in the subject line.

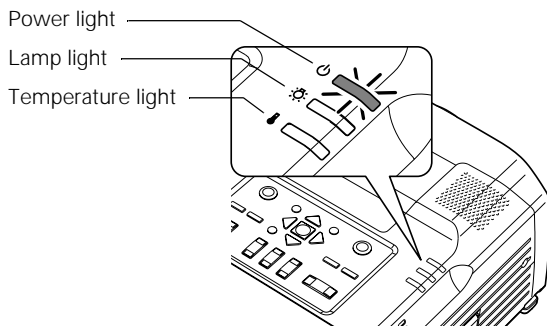
The body of the message contains:

- ☐ the name of the projector
- ☐ the projector's IP address
- ☐ a description of the problem

If a plus (+) sign appears before the description, it indicates that a problem has occurred. A minus (-) sign appears when the problem goes away or is resolved.



## Projector Status Lights



The lights on top of the projector indicate the projector's status and let you know when a problem occurs.

**Key:** = on = flashing = off

Light	Description and solution
  	If no lights are on, make sure the power cord is connected securely both at the power outlet and the projector. If you have just replaced the lamp, make sure the cover is securely fastened.
Orange   	When the power light is orange, the projector is in standby mode. Press the Power button to turn it on.
Green   	When the power light is flashing green, the projector is warming up. Wait for the image to appear.
Green   	When the power light is green, the projector is operating normally.
Orange   	When the power light is flashing orange, the projector is cooling down. Do not unplug it until the light stops flashing and remains orange. If you want to turn it back on, wait until the light stops flashing.

Light	Description and solution
Red  Orange	<p>When the power and temperature lights are flashing, the projector is getting too hot, but you can continue running it in this condition.</p> <p>Verify that the air filter is not clogged. Clean or replace it as described on page 17.</p> <p>Make sure the room temperature is not above 95 °F (35 °C) and there is plenty of space around and under the projector for ventilation.</p>
Red  Red	<p>When the power and temperature lights are red, the projector has overheated, which turns off the lamp automatically. Wait about 5 minutes for the projector to cool, then unplug the power cord.</p> <p>Verify that the air filter is not clogged. Clean or replace it as described on page 17.</p> <p>Make sure the room temperature is not above 95 °F (35 °C) and there is plenty of space around and under the projector for ventilation. Then plug the power cord back in and press the Power button.</p> <p>If the projector continues to overheat, contact EPSON for help.</p>
Red  Red	<p>When the power light is red and the temperature light is flashing red, there is a problem with the fan or temperature sensor. Unplug the power cord and contact EPSON for help.</p>
Green Orange 	<p>When the power light is green and the lamp light is flashing orange, the lamp is reaching the end of its life. To ensure continued operation, you should replace it as soon as possible (see page 18).</p>
Red Red 	<p>When the power light is red and the lamp light is flashing red, the lamp has burned out. Replace it as described on page 18.</p> <p>If these lights come on after replacing the lamp, make sure the lamp is fully inserted and the lamp cover is attached.</p>
Red Red Red	<p>If all three lights are red, the projector has an internal problem. Unplug the power cord and contact EPSON for help.</p>

## Cleaning the Lens

Clean the lens whenever you notice dirt or dust on the surface.

- ❑ Use a canister of compressed air to remove dust.
- ❑ To remove dirt or smears on the lens, use lens-cleaning paper. If necessary, moisten a soft cloth with lens cleaner and gently wipe the lens surface.

**Caution:** Do not use glass cleaner to clean the lens.

## Cleaning the Projector

Before you clean the case, first turn off the projector and unplug the power cord.

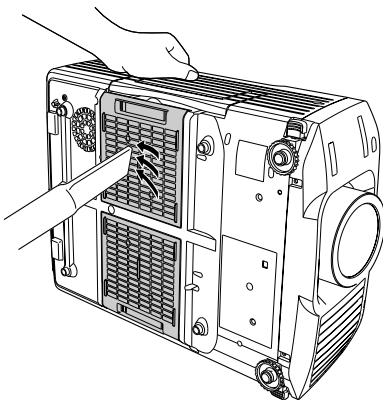
- ❑ To remove dirt or dust, wipe the case with a soft, dry, lint-free cloth.
- ❑ To remove stubborn dirt or stains, moisten a soft cloth with water and a mild detergent. Then wipe the case.
- ❑ Do not use wax, alcohol, benzene, paint thinner, or other chemical detergents. These can damage the case.

## Cleaning and Replacing the Air Filters

Clean the air filters on the bottom of the projector after every 100 hours of use. If they are not cleaned periodically, they can become clogged with dust, preventing proper ventilation. This can cause overheating and damage the projector.

To clean the air filters, follow these steps:

1. Turn off the projector and unplug the power cord.
2. To clean the filters, EPSON recommends using a small vacuum cleaner designed for computers and other office equipment. If you don't have one, gently clean the filters with a soft brush (such as an artist's paintbrush).

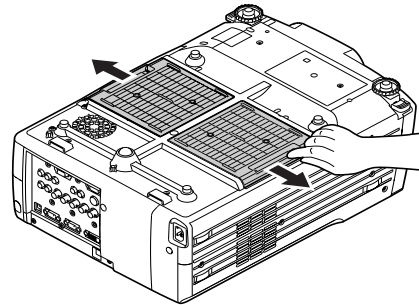


3. If the dirt is difficult to remove or a filter is broken, replace the filters as described below. Contact your dealer or call EPSON at (800) 873-7766 in the United States to obtain new ones. In Canada, please call (800) 463-7766 for dealer referral.

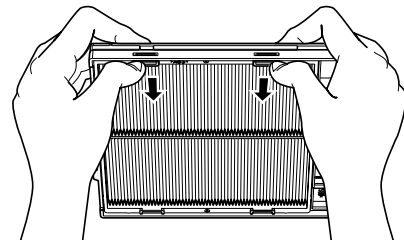
**Note:** When you replace the lamp, new filters are included with the lamp. This is a good time to replace them.

### Replacing the Filters

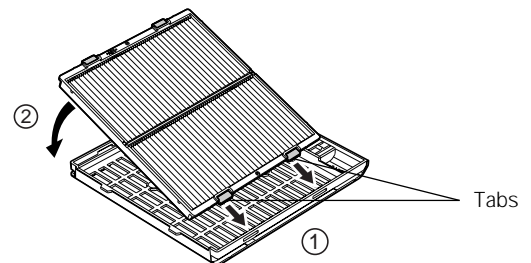
1. Turn the projector over (unless it's ceiling-mounted).
2. Remove the filters from the projector by sliding them out to the sides.



3. Remove each filter from its holder by releasing the two tabs, as shown.



4. Install new filters in the holders, aligning the tabs with the slots on each side.





5. Slide the assembled filters back into the projector.

### Replacing the Lamp

The projection lamp typically lasts for about 3000 hours in low-brightness mode, or 2000 hours in high-brightness mode.

**Note:** The brightness setting can be changed by selecting Brightness Control in the projector's Advanced2 menu.

It is time to replace the lamp when:

- ❑ The projected image gets darker or starts to deteriorate.
- ❑ The message LAMP REPLACE appears on the screen when the lamp comes on and the lamp warning light  is flashing orange. To maintain projector brightness and image quality, replace the lamp as soon as possible.
- ❑ The lamp warning light  is flashing red (the lamp is burnt out).

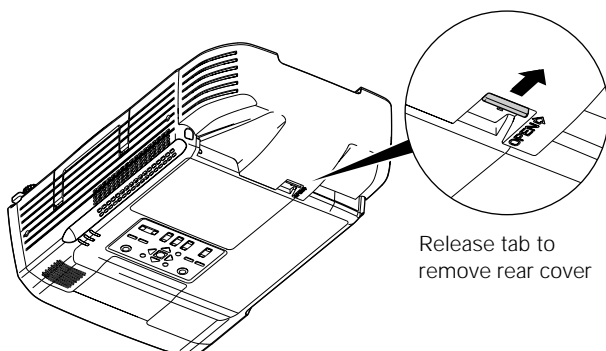
Contact your dealer or call EPSON at (800) 873-7766 in the United States for a replacement lamp. Request part number V13H010L23. In Canada, please call (800) 463-7766 for dealer referral

Follow these steps to replace the lamp:

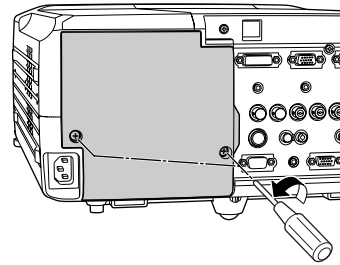
1. Turn off the projector.
2. When the power light stops flashing, unplug the power cord and let the projector cool.

**Warning:** Let the projector cool for at least half an hour, if it has been on. The lamp is extremely hot immediately after use.

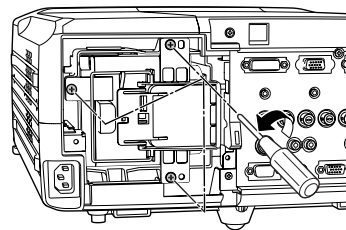
3. If the projector is mounted on the ceiling, remove the rear cover.



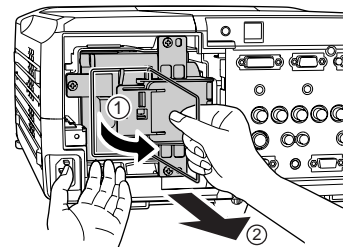
4. Loosen the lamp cover screws (you don't need to take them out all the way). Then remove the cover.



5. Loosen the three screws holding the lamp in place (you can't remove them).



6. Grasp the wire handle as shown and pull the lamp straight out.



7. Gently insert the new lamp.
8. Once the lamp is fully inserted, tighten its screws and replace the cover. (The projector won't come on if the lamp cover is loose.)
9. Reset the lamp timer (select Reset Lamp Timer in the projector's About menu).

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Optional Accessories

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Product	Product no.
Replacement lamp (includes air filters)	V13H010L23
Air filter set	V13H134A02
Mounting hardware: Ceiling mount Suspension adapter False ceiling plate	ELPMB41 ELPMBAPL ELPMBFCP
Projection screens: 50-inch portable screen 60-inch portable pop-up screen 80-inch portable pop-up screen	ELPSC06 ELPSC07 ELPSC08
Lenses: Rear-projection wide lens Wide zoom lens Standard zoom lens Middle throw zoom lens (2.41 to 3.69:1) Middle throw zoom lens (3.58 to 5.45:1) Long throw zoom lens	V12H004R02 V12H004W02 V12H004S02 V12H004M01 V12H004M02 V12H004L04
Cables: Component video cable (BNC/VGA) S-video cable DVI to DVI cable, 10 ft DVI to DFP cable, 10 ft	ELPKC19 ELPSV01 ELPKC20 ELPKC21
Macintosh adapter set (monitor and desktop adapter)	ELPAP01
Remote control cable set	V12H005C28
Distribution amplifier	ELPDA01
ATA shipping case	ELPKS47
Kensington® security lock	ELPSL01
High resolution document imager	ELPDC02
High resolution document camera	V12H064020

You can purchase these accessories from your dealer, by calling EPSON at (800) 873-7766, or by visiting the EPSON Store<sup>SM</sup> at [www.epsonstore.com](http://www.epsonstore.com) (U.S. sales only). In Canada, please call (800) 463-7766 for dealer referral.

## EasyMP.net Option Board

The EasyMP.net option board is also available (part number V12H114P01). It offers businesses a premium network solution: web browsing, remote desktop client access, projection over an 802.11b wireless network, and storage of Microsoft® PowerPoint slideshows on a memory card for computer-free presentations.

To use EasyMP.net, the board has to be installed in the projector, and additional software is provided to the user.

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Related Documentation

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CPD-16107	EPSON PowerLite 8300i <i>User's Guide</i>
CPD-16108	EPSON PowerLite 8300i <i>Quick Setup</i> sheet